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Dr. Daniel Wilson and Chief Justice Gall of Ontario Created Knights—Chapleau Coming to British Columbia.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, June 2.—It is reported on the best authority that action will be taken in a few days to facilitate the construction of the Okanagon & Shuswap railway this year.

Dr. Daniel Wilson and Chief Justice Galt of the Court of Common Pleas, have been created Knights. The honor is richly deserved.

Hon. Mr. Chapleau will probably visit British Columbia this summer.

CABLE NEWS.

Cheers and Counter Cheers.

LONDON, June 2.—The celebration of the anniversary of the birth of Queen Victoria took place to-day. The weather was bright and clear. The most notable features of the celebration were reviews of troops. At Limerick the troops cheered in honor of the Queen's birthday. The crowd which had assembled outside the barracks immediately responded with cheers for O'Brien and the plan of campaign.

The Emperor Fatigued.

A dispatch of the Central News from Potsdam says "The emperor was exhausted by the trip from Berlin and has been ordered to remain absolutely quiet. He passed a restless night."

A Prominent Mason Dead.

Geo. Parker Brockbank, past grand deputy and past grand standard bearer of the Freemasons of England, is dead.

Lord Lansdowne in London.

The Marquis of Lansdowne, late Governor-General of Canada, and Lady Lansdowne arrived in this city to-day.

Against Paying Tithes.

The agitation against the payment of tithes at Denbigh, Wales, is increasing. The military were called out yesterday and dispersed the crowd that had gathered. No one was injured.

Getting Better.

John Bright is making good progress.
John Bright is much better to-night.

Bismarck Threatens to Resign.

After signing the bill for the prolongation of the term of the Prussian land tag the Emperor yesterday withdrew his consent. Bismarck and his ministry at their sitting to-day resolved to resign unless the bill was signed as published.

LATER—Nothing can be learned of the reported intention of Bismarck to resign.

Another Agrarian Outrage.

DUBLIN, June 2.—A farmer named Mangan has been shot and seriously wounded at Ennis, County Clare, by "Moonlighters." The crime is the result of agrarian trouble.

Another Assurance of Amity.

PARIS, June 2.—Count Hoyos Sprinzenstien, Austrian ambassador, visited Goblet, minister of foreign affairs, after the latter's speech on Thursday in regard to Tisza's utterances, and reiterated the peaceful assurance made to Kalnoky, Austrian prime minister, and the latter's statement that no affront to France was intended in the speech of Tisza.

Passport Rules Rejected.

PARIS, June 2.—The chamber of deputies to-day rejected the Boulangerist proposals introduced by Deputy Laur, to institute passport rules counter to those of Germany.

French Politics.

Premier Floquet informed the committee on the revision of the constitution that the cabinet, having the right to choose the time for any such change, considered that the state of home and foreign affairs made the question of revision inopportune at present. Meanwhile majorities in the senate and chamber might arrive at an *entente* on the various points relating to the revision, but if the government should find itself confronted with a majority composed of members of the right and opportunists, they would resign, as they could not deal with the revision of the constitution unless supported by a solid republican majority. In consequence of Floquet's declaration Rochefoucauld announced that the right did not demand a revision but the dissolution of the existing government and an appeal to the country for a plebiscite.

The Attack on the Clergy.

ROME, June 2.—The Pope corrected to-day the proofs of the allocutions of yesterday's consistory and authorized their publication. After condemning the provisions in the new Italian code affecting the clergy the Pope says: "What causes us greatest pain is the desire manifested to maintain at all hazards a conflict between Italy and Papacy, which we, from love of the church and our country, wish to terminate. The desire displayed by the states to make war upon the church is a folly which is hurtful to all whom attempt it, especially to Italy."

The Reply to the Rescript.

The document prepared by the Irish bishops has reached Rome. It admits the right of the holy see to interfere in questions of morality, therefore the plan of campaign and boycotting fall upon this head. The bishops receive the rescript with reverence, but they are, however, constrained to remark that the holy see is not well informed concerning the acts they condemn. They should be considered in the light of circumstances that gave rise to them, and as a means of defence be considered legitimate resistance. The document adduces data to prove that disputes between tenants and landlords are of a political character and nothing to do with religion and morality. It concludes with renewed expressions of devotion and respect for the decision of the holy see.

It is reported that Mgr. Persico opposed the publishing of the rescript as inopportune.

Spain Will Not Participate.

MADRID, June 2.—Several members of the cortes to-day objecting to a motion to grant £40,000 for the purpose of allowing Spain to officially partake in the French exhibition, the proposal was tabled.

Tisza Did Not Mean Offence.

PESTH, June 2.—In the lower house of the Hungarian diet to-day Herren, Apponyl, Pazmandy and Ugeon submitted an interpellation to the government in reference to Premier Tisza's speech. Herr Von Tisza, in reply, promised to make a statement of the merits of the case in due course. He said when he spoke on Saturday last and now, he did not intend, and it would not be his intention when he makes the statement, to offend in the least a nation (referring to France) with which Austro-Hungaria was at peace, and with which they desired to maintain peace.

The Emperor at Potsdam.

POTSDAM, June 2.—The Emperor's first night here was a satisfactory one. His condition was good this morning although fatigued from yesterday's journey.

Dom Pedro Stronger.

MILAN, June 2.—The Emperor of Brazil is stronger to-day.

A Newspaper Opinion.

VIENNA, June 2.—The *Tremdblatt* gathers that Goblet's speech in the French chamber of deputies in referring to Tisza's utterances that Kalnoky, as Austrian minister of foreign affairs, had from the stand point of international relations, denied that Tisza had any intention to offend France. The paper adds that international significance was attached to Austria's refusal to take part in the Paris exhibition.

LATE CANADIAN NEWS.

ONTARIO.

Miss Thompson, living near Jarvis, hanged herself.

The estate of the Hughes Bros., Toronto, shows an apparent deficit of $180,000.

The third son of Mr. Scarth, M. P., of Winnipeg, died at Ottawa at the age of six years.

Fire destroyed several buildings at Weston, including St. Phillip's church, erected in 1820.

Jackson Cook was sentenced to ten years in Kingston penitentiary for incendiarism at Forest.

Frederick W. Toye, township clerk, his wife and three children were burned to death in their house at Uflington.

John Sowden shot himself through the head at Stratford. He had been despondent through being out of employment.

It is said that a cabinet minister was drunk in a house of ill-fame at Ottawa on Saturday night, and walked home in his shirt sleeves.

La Minerve, Chapleau's organ, announces semi-officially that Schultz is to be appointed Lieut.-Governor of Manitoba, and Mr. Jos. Royal of the Northwest.

The propeller Niagara, a Canadian vessel, which passed up from St. Catharines two weeks ago and neglected to report to the customs, was seized at Sault Ste. Marie on the down trip. She is laden with wheat from Duluth for Kingston.

Mrs. Gunn, the wife of A. Gunn, ex-M.P., Kingston, died suddenly. While conversing with her children she threw up her hands and expired. She was about 55 years of age, was married 25 years, and much esteemed for her benevolent and other womanly virtues.

Mr. M. J. Griffin, parliamentary librarian, and Mr. James Johnson, editor of the Ottawa *Citizen*, were each the recipients of handsomely framed photographs of Lord Lansdowne, accompanied by autograph letters from his excellency requesting their acceptance of them as remembrancers of his stay in Canada.

It is stated that Alex. Brownley, an Ailsa Craig watchmaker, now in jail awaiting trial on a charge of uttering counterfeit bank bills, made a full confession of his guilt in connection with the entire counterfeit scheme, in the course of which he implicated a number of people in the north riding of Middlesex. Detectives are working up the case.

Rev. J. Scanlon, of the Western Methodist church, Ottawa; in his sermon in favor of total abstinence made this pointed reference to the Presbyterian divine, Rev. Mr. Herridge: "When you hear a minister speaking in strong and eloquent terms in defence of wine drinking, you may rest assured that the sparkling beverage has already acquired a bewitching influence over him." For preaching individual liberty of opinion Rev. Mr. Herridge has brought down on himself one-half of the people of Ottawa, while the other half sides with him.

QUEBEC.

An application was presented to court by the creditors, asking to place *La Minerve* in insolvency.

Judge Loranger was married to Madame Varin, at the Bishop's chapel, Montreal. His Lordship the Bishop officiated.

The petitions in the Jacques Cartier and Vercheres local election cases have been dismissed. The two liberal members were sustained in their seats.

Diphtheria is making sad ravages at Chateau Richer; in some families the disease has made three or four victims. Mr. Picauc, M.P.P. for Richmond and Wolfe, lost two children within the last fortnight, a boy of three and girl of five years.

A foreigner named Chaffone, who arrived from Europe about two months ago, rented a house in Montreal with a view to sell liquor there, but being opposed by the Jesuit Fathers, failed to obtain a license and left for the States a few days ago. His wife, who remained behind, has just received news that he committed suicide.

NEW BRUNSWICK.

A little child of Archibald McLaughlin, of Tay Creek, York county, fell into a tub of boiling water a few days ago, and was scalded to death.

Two persons were killed and one hundred injured by the explosion of a barrel of gasoline in the grocery store of Charles E. Sellers, Fredericton.

The remains of Annie Porter, aged sixty, who in a snowstorm in February, 1887, started to walk from Gagetown, Queens county, to Otnabog, were found a few days ago. The flesh was entirely wasted from the bones.

There was a disgraceful fight at Fredericton between some of the military school men and civilians. The police finally interfered and quelled the riot, arresting Mess Sergeant Boutilier. The fight grew out of a base ball dispute.

NOVA SCOTIA.

The Hon. Mr. McLelan has left for Bonavista. It is believed he will be sworn in as Governor immediately.

The Caspian brought the new commander of British forces, Lieut.-General Sir John Ross, to Halifax on Saturday.

MANITOBA.

Owing to delay in shipment of rails it is not expected that the Red River Valley road will be completed before August next.

John Norquay has declined to be a candidate for North Winnipeg. Another meeting will be held to decide upon the course to be pursued.

Samuel Hanna has been nominated as the Reform candidate in Lansdowne and Douglas has been re-nominated as the conservative candidate for Emerson.

An Indian school teacher named Fidles has been arrested at Winnipeg on the charge of attempted murder. He attempted to drown one McIvor from the ferry boat.

OUR CABLE LETTER.

Various Phases of the Papal Rescript —Its Effect on National Politics.

The Labor Question—The Reason for and Effect of Tisza's Speech—Russian and Bulgarian Matters—Warlike Preparations in Poland.

LONDON, June 2.—It is slowly but surely dawning on the visions of the more fiery members of the Irish party that Pope Leo XIII., in issuing the papal rescript, has shown himself a more astute politician and friend of Ireland than the majority of nationalists the last few weeks were willing to conceive. Instead of abuse of his holiness, which has been heard from day to day at public gatherings throughout Ireland, now praise for his far-sightedness is being proclaimed by Irish members of parliament, who but yesterday were loud in their denunciations of what they termed papal friendship for tory government. The measured result of the papal rescript, as contained in the weighty words of Archbishop Walsh, of Dublin, and the Stephen's Green election, marking the close alliance of Gladstone, are occurrences of most striking magnitude, the whole value of which cannot be apprehended at a single glance, for it needs an eye trained in political perspective to judge the proportion of events so varied. In one sense the Papal rescript is an event of the most weighty importance. In regard to the immediate effects on political conduct the words of his holiness sink into comparative worthlessness beside the grave and influential utterances of the Irish leader. No man speaks to Irishmen with authority in any sense comparable to

THE AUTHORITY WHICH PARNELL WIELDS.

When Parnell advises any line of action his words don't fall to the ground. Still more effective, many politicians think that they find his opinion and advice in perfect accord with the warning from Rome. Joining both, it needs little foresight to enable one to see that the plan of campaign will be dropped and a return to the methods of 1884 resorted to. Balfour has not done this, coercion has not done it. The strange spectacle is now presented of a country at war with its government, but obedient even to docility, to two great advisers, one supreme in morals and the other in politics, who have not got at their command police, soldiers, jailors or executioners. Never was the gulf between the rule of force and the mild restraint of free obedience more forcibly demonstrated.

In the immediate future a large development of the labor question is looked for as one of the determining difficulties and problems which statesmen

WILL HAVE TO FACE,

and it is well for Ireland that in the conflict which is coming she can show a body of representatives who sympathize with the needs of toiling millions, but who at the same time are cautiously prudent in avoiding mere overtures and a scramble which could only end in deeper misery. The labor party are impatient, but the majority of their leaders are now seriously pressing upon them that it would be a fatal misfortune to disguise or break up the party of progress till such good as that party can effect has been carried into execution. Davitt is the connecting link between the so-called "official" parties. Gladstone and his allies are on one side and unattacked labor on the other, and it can be said with authority that Davitt vehemently deprecates any course which would tend to weaken Gladstone or Parnell in the struggle through which they are passing. Parnell at the same time is gradually broadening into an understanding of the great democratic issues, and between these two able and trusted men it is hoped a policy will be found sufficiently inclusive to meet the natural and proper requirements of the democrats of Great Britain. All sections of progress are now uniting as one against the combinations of class interests, forming the unionist party in three kingdoms, but a combination formed by Gladstone and Parnell will be of moderate and reasonable demand and not one of mere complaint and discontent. Parnell will gradually weave into it such elements of calmness and restraint as will counterbalance the more ebulent members of his party. This policy will cement the close union between the parties of progress on both sides of the channel and effect a consummation so much desired by Gladstone. Weighing everything as carefully as possible, it can be said that the nationalists have turned the corner in Irish agitation and that they now move in a level and safe road of strictly legal agitation, backed up with resolute and persistent criticism in parliament of all acts and measures which may tend to irritate or annoy the advance of the masses of the people in England or Ireland.

In diplomatic circles the opinion is gaining ground that the recent

SPEECH OF TISZA

against France was inspired by Bismarck, not with the object of insulting France, but for the purpose of sounding Zeichs in the Austro-Hungarian empire with a view of learning how far they would support the government in the event of the beginning of hostilities involving the triple alliance on one side and Russia and France on the other. The arrow of reality desired at that point has plainly hit the mark, for such friendly feeling for the French is aroused among all parties in the dual empire except the German party, that both Tisza and Kalnoky have their hands full in preventing the incident from creating serious internal troubles. The German chancellor has discovered through Tisza's speech that no solid support could be relied on from Austro-Hungary in a war in which Germany and France would become pitted against each other, and that the latent feeling of revenge for Sadowa prevailed in the army of the dual empire to an extent which equals that of the French for the Sedan. No event in the past two years has so elated the

WAR PARTY IN RUSSIA

as this discovery of the internal weakness of Austro-Hungary, and they express the determination to expel Prince Ferdinand from Bulgaria under greater ignominy than was visited upon the "Battenberg." It can hardly be for the advantage of Bulgaria that Ferdinand's continuance, would furnish a pretext for Russian invasions yet there is a danger which it is impossible not to keep in mind. The majority of Vienna politicians feel perfectly assured that in case the Bulgarian question should assume proportion rendering it necessary to make decisions of first rate importance, the German government would again be seen marching beside Austria and not permitting Austrian interests to suffer. Small, though well informed, political circles of Vienna express the opinion that the result of Tisza's speech will be that Bismarck will bring pressure to bear on the Austrian government to make further concessions to Russia regarding Bulgaria and postpone at least for a time the evil day which the European powers have for some time been dreading.

Intelligence received in Vienna from Russian Poland and from the Austrian border districts indicates an early move of more than ordinary magnitude on the part of Russia.

The two branch lines of the Ivangorod-Datrova railroad, running to Austria and Prussia frontiers, are doing an immense traffic in the transportation of troops and military stores. Fortifications in the western district have been greatly strengthened by the addition of guns of the heaviest calibre. The army at Rovna, which is a fortified place of great importance, has been largely reinforced.

AMERICAN NEWS.

Mrs. Rawson Indicted.

CHICAGO, June 2.—Mrs. Rawson was indicted for the attempted murder of Attorney Whitney yesterday in Judge Jamison's courtroom, by the grand jury this morning. Mrs. Rawson passed a restless night in the city jail and did not rise till late this morning. She looked pale and haggard and it was evident the intense excitement under which she was laboring yesterday had not passed away. Lawyer Whitney was very comfortable this morning and in a fair way to recover.

General Sheridan's Condition.

WASHINGTON, midnight, June 2.—General Sheridan has been comfortable all night and is now sleeping, resting on his right side. His cough is looser; pulse good and no fever.

PROVINCIAL COURT.

The Alleged Mutinous Sailors Arraigned Before Mr. Johnson, S. M. — Case Adjourned Until Tuesday Morning.

Yesterday afternoon a sitting of the provincial court was held in the police court room, when the case of mutiny was taken up. The names of the sailors who are charged with refusing duty on the high seas are as follows: H. Gort, Wm. Dinning, Olav Sievertson, McKenna Firth, Andrew Selkis, J. Boyd, H. McWilliams, J. O. Bright, Thos. O'Keefe, Alfred Jones and Chas. A. Lee. Information was also sworn to, against Wm. Kelly and James Langan, officers, who are also charged with refusing duty and attempting to steal a boat from the ship Silverdale, in Port Angeles harbor, for the purpose of deserting.

Mr. Theo. Davie, Q. C., appeared for the prosecution and Mr. W. J. Taylor (Eberts & Taylor), for the prisoners.

Mr. Davie opened the case for the prosecution and spoke at some length of the nature of the charges brought by Capt. Morton. He then called upon the captain who gave testimony similar to his statement which appeared in THE COLONIST. The articles of the ship were put in as evidence, but Mr. Taylor objected and took the ground that they are not in conformity with the Merchant's Shipping act 54, and as a matter of fact there are no articles at all as they were not properly executed.

His honor said he would take note of the objections and reserve the points.

After the witness had been cross-examined, Mr. Davie asked for a remand until Tuesday morning, which was granted and the court will probably sit in the council chambers at 10 o'clock. The prisoners were remanded back to custody.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

The electric light plant for the drydock has arrived from Montreal and will be placed in position at once.

The Victoria fire department has received an invitation to participate in the Fourth of July ceremonies at Seattle.

MARINE.

Tug Pioneer sailed for Port Townsend yesterday morning.

Br. ship Aldergrove, Capt. Null, cleared at Vancouver yesterday for Valparaiso from Hastings mill with 752,175 feet of rough lumber and 179,151 feet flooring.

PERSONAL.

Thos. Ellis, of Penticton, wife and daughter, arrived last night on the Yosemite.

P. C. Dunlevy, W. G. Livock, C. G. Ballentyne and F. S. Barnard arrived on the Yosemite last evening.

G. S. Brown and wife, of Halifax, father and mother of R.A., Percy, W. R., and R. G. H. Brown, have arrived in this city on a visit.

J. A. Fullerton, manager of the C. P. R. Oriental steamships, arrived down last evening from Vancouver, and is a guest of his brother, Mr. John Fullerton.

J. R. Wynne, representing Lyman & Sons, druggists, Montreal, arrived on the Yosemite last evening and is at the Clarence. Mr. Wynne is staff-sergeant in the 5th Royals, Montreal, and is one of the best shots in the Dominion, having been a member of the Wimbledon team five terms.

W. McCulloch, well-known in mining circles in this province, he having been one of the early gold-seekers, and for some time government assayer, left on the Olympian yesterday morning for Spokane Falls, with his wife and family, at which point they will in future reside. Mr. and Mrs. McCulloch leave behind many friends who will be pleased to learn of their prosperity in the progressive city of Spokane.

SIR JOHN ROSS.

The New Commander of the British Forces Arrives at Halifax.

HALIFAX, N. S., May 25.—The steamer "Caspian," from Liverpool, brought the new commander of the British forces here, Lieut.-General Sir John Ross. The steamer was profusely decorated with flags in honor of the occasion and she fired a salute in coming up the harbor. At the deep water terminus, where the ship docked, all the men of the York and Lancaster regiment, under command of Captain Cahoon, and accompanied by the band, were drawn up to receive General Ross. As he stepped ashore a second salute was fired from the citadel. On coming off the steamer he was met by a number of staff officers and escorted on the wharf. On his appearance he was received with a general salute and the band played. He inspected the men and entering a carriage in waiting drove off in company with Lord Russell. There was a large crowd of civilians at the wharf all anxious to gaze on the newly arrived general and great was their surprise when he appeared to see, not a big, grim looking warrior but a pleasant looking little gentleman of about five feet four or five, rather stout, with a gray whisker and dressed in civilian clothes. He is one of the jolliest looking gentlemen we have ever had.

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MR. GLADSTONE ON "THE BATTLE OF UNBELIEF."

We recently drew attention to the amazing versatility and vitality exhibited by Mr. Gladstone in his discussion of the current questions of the hour. Apparently the old man cannot have enough of work. He is still eager for the fray, whether in the field of politics, literature or religion. He comes to his varied tasks alert and smiling, and manages to get through work which, in amount and variety, might very well task to the utmost the energies of very much younger men. In the *Nineteenth Century* for May he does battle for religious orthodoxy with all his old-time energy and power, and shows himself quite as much at home as ever in a field as remote from Irish or Imperial politics as anything well could be. The occasion of this paper is the appearance of a very remarkable novel called "Robert Elsmere," the aim of which is to expel the preternatural element from Christianity, to destroy its dogmatic structure, yet to keep intact the moral and spiritual results. Attempts of this kind have often before this been made, with what success the whole history of Christianity makes manifest. The desire and effort in such cases have ever been to get quit of what has well been described by St. Paul as "the offence of the cross." Men and women in multitudes have been saying "We admire the moral teaching of Christianity, its humility, its tender self-denial, its beneficence, the urgency of its self-sacrifice and its persistent inculcation of a pure and holy life; but its dogma, its supernaturalism, its 'incarnation', its 'miracles', its atonement by blood, its 'resurrection', and much else, are utterly unendurable. They revolt all our ideas of propriety, of the divine integrity, of man's genuine character, and of the world's actual wants. We seek a Christianity with all such revolting elements left out, and with all its ethical sweetness and light retained, and, if possible, intensified." Mr. Humphrey Ward's volume repeats this objection, and tries to show how the wished-for transformation can be secured. Mr. Gladstone, on the other hand, while bearing strong testimony to the intellectual and literary excellence of Mrs. Ward's production, insists that her whole effort is from the very nature of the case a failure, as all similar one's must be, for that it is impossible to eliminate from Christianity the "supernatural" and "miraculous" element which runs through it without tearing it into the merest fragments, and depriving it of all power to either set forth or embody that ethical beauty which is so much admired, or that purified and ennobled manhood which is felt to be so indispensable. Mr. Gladstone does his work vigorously and with unbroken courtesy and tenderness. There is no word which can be justly taken as offensive, while there are many which are at once sympathetic and commendatory. Dogma, let it never be forgotten, is but doctrine, and doctrine is but fact, real or supposed to be, and without a basis of such fact it is not a very difficult task to show that no system of morals or worship can either make much headway or continue to exist. The affected horror of dogma is as foolish as it is unphilosophical. The central figure of Christianity, for instance, is Jesus Christ, and the facts, real or supposed, about that mighty prophet have all their individual plans and influence. "The incarnation" meets one on the very threshold with all its "miraculous" and consequently "offensive" power, and so on till the "resurrection" is reached and the "ascent" from Olivet completes the marvel. Take out the "supernatural" from the natural and what would be left? As Mr. Gladstone puts it, nothing but "shreds," and "shreds" entirely deprived of all elevating, transforming power. The "cross" would no doubt be eliminated, and Christianity would have been freed from its "offence," but so far as the effort was successful with the "offence" the moral leverage would have disappeared, and whatever was left would be, always has been, as meagre as a piece of chalk, as cold as ice, and with as little vitalizing power as a newly-opened grave. Mr. Gladstone insists, and with great power, on this fact, that the very things which are chiefly objected to have always been the secret springs of any strength which the Christian faith has ever had, and that, as Hugh Miller long ago put it, to expect any spiritual change or moral transformation from Christianity with such facts or dogmas "left out" would be as reasonable as to look for a brass farthing being transmuted into a golden guinea by "merely rubbing it vigorously with a woollen rag and a little whitening." The following is a specimen of how Mr. Gladstone handles his subject, and friend and foe will, we think, alike allow that it gives no intimation of a failing intellect or a growing "verbosity."

There has come upon the scene the figure of a Redeemer, human and divine. Let it be granted that the incarnation is a marvel wholly beyond our reach, and that the miracle of the resurrection to-day gives serious trouble to fastidious intellects. But the difficulties of a baffled understanding, lying everywhere around us in daily experience, are to be expected from its limitations; not so the shocks encountered by the moral sense. Even if the Christian scheme slightly lengthened the immeasurable catalogue of the first, this is dust in the balance compared with the relief it furnishes to the second; in supplying the most powerful remedial agency ever known, in teaching how pain may be made a helper and evil transmuted into good; and in opening clearly the vision of another world, in which we are taught to look for yet larger counsels of the Almighty wisdom. To take away, then, the agency so beneficent, which has so softened and reduced the moral problems that lie thickly spread around us, and to leave us face to face with them in all their original rigor, is to enhance and not to mitigate the difficulties of belief.

EDITORIAL COMMENTS.

We think Mr. John will make a good officer. His friends claim for him many of the qualities necessary to make him a success as a Jail Governor.—*Times.*

Praise from such a quarter is praise indeed. Mr. John and the government are to be congratulated.

The total value of goods entered for consumption in the Dominion, exclusive of this province, for the month ending 30th April last, was $7,382,740; made up of dutiable goods, $5,098,180; coin and bullion (except U. S. silver coin) $41,149; free goods and all other, $2,243,411; duty collected, $1,614,399.91.

British Board of Trade emigration returns for April show a total exodus of 61,726 as against 56,970 for April, 1887, an increase of over 8 per cent. Of these, 42,749 were of British origin, and 14,809 foreigners, as against 41,749 and 14,907 respectively in April, 1887. The total for the four months ended April 30th was 121,014, as against 118,103, an increase of 2½ per cent.

Cheering news continues to come from Berlin. The fact that the Emperor was able to make a trip to Potsdam by yacht is evidence that he is regaining strength. The change cannot fail to do him good. The picture which he has presented of patient suffering under what Count Herbert Bismarck has very tersely styled "a cowardly disease" is one that has appealed to all that is best in men's nature and has cast a halo of martyrdom about the life of Germany's afflicted ruler. We may well hope that the present encouraging indications will not prove delusive; that he may in good time under Providence be restored to the Fatherland, to his English Empress, and to the loving family which surrounds him.

There is every reason to believe that Mr. James Tolmie's candidature in Victoria District is acceptable to a great majority of the electors. Indeed there seems to be a general desire that he should be returned by acclamation. A young gentleman whose interests lie in the district, of more than average ability, bearing a name that is justly held in high esteem not only in Victoria District, but in all parts of Vancouver Island, there is every reason to believe that he would discharge his duties as a representative of the people with the utmost degree of credit. It is trusted that, in view of the fact that only two sessions remain to the present House, there will no necessity of an election contest.

Our esteemed evening contemporary as usual imputes all sorts of motives to the Government and Mr. Robt. John in connection with his appointment to the Wardenship of the Provincial gaol, each one of which, it is unnecessary to say, are the fictions of a very fertile imagination. It will be news to Mr. John that "not having received the appointment of Minister of Finance he began to show his teeth." Such statements are only ridiculous to those conversant with the facts and are calculated to throw much doubt upon the writer's being "in a position to know." The editor of the *Times* holds the Hon. Oliver Mowat up as the quintessence of all that is good and pure and true in politics. Perhaps he would be less severe in his reflections on honorable men did he remember that Mr. Fred. Mowat, the Premier's son, was appointed to a shrievalty very recently by his father, and that Dr. Widdifield, M. P. P., and a "servile hack," has been "shelved" by being gazetted sheriff of North York. And yet we do not find the Conservative papers of Ontario "throwing mud" at the Government or abusing their appointees! The Opposition organ may, however, always be depended upon to out-*Globe* the *Globe* in its denunciations of its political opponents. But do the electors approve of such tactics?

THE BLACK COD BANKS.

The Deep Sea Fisheries—Black Cod Banks—Lobster Culture.

Major Prior, ever alive to the interests of his constituents, took the opportunity in supply the other night to question the Minister of Fisheries on two subjects to which considerable attention was devoted last year. Major Prior said: I wish to ask the hon. Minister of Marine whether he has done anything with regard to the deep sea fisheries on the British Columbia coast. This question is a matter of great moment to British Columbia, as, from the few researches that have been made in regard to those fisheries, it has been proved that if the government would spend some money to develop them, they would be as valuable as those on the Atlantic coast. I also wish to ask the hon. minister if anything has been done with regard to the lobster fishery on the Pacific coast. There is no reason, it seems to me, why the lobster fishery should not assume gigantic proportions on the Pacific, as well as on the Atlantic coast.

Mr. Foster in reply said: As regards the lobster fishery, I may say that it was my intention, if possible, to transfer the live lobsters from the Atlantic coast to the coast of British Columbia. My hon. friend will remember if he has taken an interest in this subject, and I know he has, that the United States Government made an attempt to transfer lobsters to the Pacific coast, and that they met with a failure. I had some experiments carried on last year, so as to ascertain how long lobsters could be kept alive and under what conditions; first during warmer weather and afterwards during the colder season. I had arranged to send a shipment out to British Columbia in the late fall, but after making the arrangements they fell through on account of the impossibility of getting a sufficient number of lobsters at that season of the year. A certain amount of expense was incurred in that experiment but the money has not been lost as we have received full information as to how long lobsters can be kept. I intended this year to have a shipment made, but when I was in the United States the fishery commissioner at New York informed me that he intended to make an experiment in that direction this year, and I concluded that it would be wiser to allow him to make his experiment and then to adopt his methods if they were successful, and to avoid his errors if the experiment was not successful. With reference to the deep sea fisheries on the Pacific coast my hon. friend knows that I sent out a vessel the year before last, but that vessel was a little late in starting. Last year I intended to follow that up, but the vessel I had chartered and made arrangements with went out sealing and did not get back as early as was intended, and I did not wish to meet the same difficulty on account of the lateness of the season in the previous year. This year I intend to send our own steamer there about the middle of July, to make six or eight weeks experiments with reference to those fisheries.

Mr. Lovitt asked the minister to state from the result of his experiments, how long a lobster can be kept alive.

Mr. Foster replied: The experiments showed that they could be kept alive eight or ten days. A lobster was sent from Campbelltown, or near there, to Ottawa and it was alive and kicking when it came here, that was about ten days, I think.

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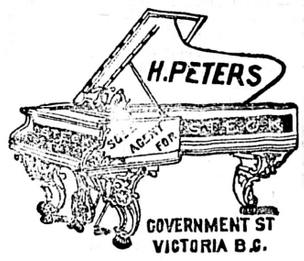

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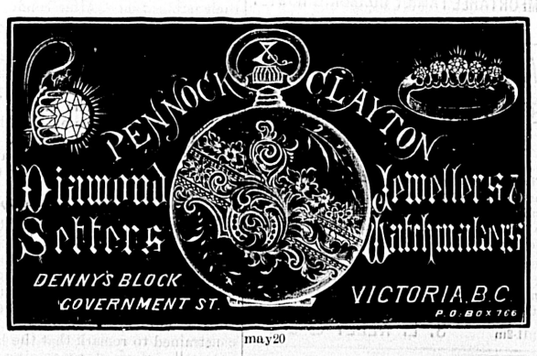

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MONEY WANTED!
The Municipal Council of Richmond intend to issue Debentures under the authority of the "Municipal Loan By-Law, 1888," to the amount of $30,000.
SEALED TENDERS, MARKED "LOAN," will be received by the undersigned up to the thirtieth day of May, 1888, for the purchase of $15,000 of the above.
Debentures are issued on the credit of one of the best agricultural municipalities in the Dominion, made payable in 50 years and bearing interest at six per cent., payable yearly at the Bank of British Columbia, New Westminster. Parties tendering will state the amount wanted, and the price at which they will be taken.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
By order of the Council.
O. D. SWEET.
North Arm, April 9th, 1888. ap13-1m

McGregor, Knight & McKittrick,
SUCCESSORS TO CHAS. BALL,
Horse Shoeing, Carriage Making,
PAINTING AND GENERAL BLACKSMITHING.
All work Guaranteed. Repairing a Specialty.
Nos. 50 & 52 Johnson Street.
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JOHN DOHERTY,
GENERAL SCAVENGER
Yards and Cesspools Cleaned, Wells Dug and Cleaned Contracts made for removing earth, etc. All orders left with Mr. G. Doughty, corner Blanchard & Fort streets, Bossi & Giesselman, Yates street, or J. Finlayson's, Government st., will be promptly attended to. apr26-1y

PETER HANSEN,
General Scavenger.
ORDERS MAY BE LEFT AT PORTER Market, Douglas St., cor. of Johnson.
se17-1yr

J. E. BARBER. E. J. HEWLINGS.
BARBER & HEWLINGS,
CARRIAGE : BUILDERS
AND CONTRACTORS.
Pattern Making, Model Making & Office Fitting.
Why import Old Carriages when Messrs. B. & H. are prepared to make new Landeaus, Hansoms, Phetons, Dog Carts, etc., in the latest designs. Satisfaction guaranteed.
PANDORA STREET, VICTORIA, B. C.
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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL HOUSES.

STOVES. STOVES. STOVES.
Another Carload arrives at Cheapside!
They are GURNEY'S CELEBRATED Make. You should see them.
WE WILL SELL AT EASTERN PRICES:
Full Lines of Gardening and Carpenter Tools.
Crockery, Glassware, Furniture, Electro-plated Goods, Cutlery, Tinware,
ALWAYS IN STOCK.
GEO POWELL & CO.,
CHEAPSIDE, my10 Government Street.

MISCELLANEOUS.

ANOTHER HOME INDUSTRY. TRY IT!
The Best Brand IN THE MARKET.
Manufactured FROM THE Choicest Wheats
Red Star Roller Flour
COLUMBIA
ROLLER MILLS,
ENDERBY,
Spallumcheen, B. C.
COLUMBIA MILLING CO'Y,
THE Housekeepers FRIEND.
CAN ALWAYS BE Depended Upon.
WELCH, RITHET & CO. AG'TS, VICTORIA.

PENDRAY AND CO.
British MOTTLED Soap,
No. 1 LAUNDRY Soap,
AND
FINE TOILET SOAP,
ARE THE
Best and Cheapest in the Market.
feb15-6m HUMBOLDT STREET, VICTORIA.

McLENNAN & McFEELY,
TIN, IRON AND FELT ROOFERS.
MANUFACTURERS OF
Galvanized Iron Cornices. Globe Chimney Caps for Sale.
Fort Street, Victoria, and Vancouver, B.C.
se24-1y

REMOVAL.
D. SIMPSON, TAILOR,
Has moved from his former place of business into the N.W. corner of Fort and Broad Streets, and will in a few days be prepared to attend to orders.
April 28th, 1888. ap29-1mo

REMOVAL.
EDWARD J. THAIN HAS REMOVED TO the offices of H. L. Gulline & Co., over Spencer's Arcade, Government street.
Rents and Debts collected, and a general Advertising and Agency business carried on.
Property for sale in Victoria, Vancouver, Calgary and the farming Districts. ap10-6mo

CHAS. HAYWARD,
Funeral Director and Embalmer
Langley Street, Victoria.
oct 1y

VICTORIA BOOT AND SHOE MANUFACTORY,
AND
ROCK BAY TANNERY.
Men's, Women's and Children's Boots and Shoes of all descriptions, at Lowest Rates.
RUBBER BOOTS & SHOES—largest assortment in the Province.
GENTS' ENGLISH LEGGINGS—in variety of style.
ENGLISH LEATHER AND PORPOISE SKIN LACES.
BON TON POLISH, Etc., Etc., Etc.
—ALSO—
SOLE AND UPPER LEATHER—Kip, Calf and Sheepskin.
HARNESS AND BRIDLE LEATHER, SKIRTING, APARAJO, MILL LACING LEATHER, AND HAIR FOR PLASTERERS' USE.
HIDE, CALF AND SHEEPSKINS BOUGHT. CORRESPONDENCE SOLICITED.
ap26-6mo W. HEATHORN, PROPRIETOR.

THE TIGER GOBBLED IT.

A Wealthy Gambler Loses His All at a Sitting.

DENVER, Col., May 11.—Sporting circles of Denver are more than usually excited over a play against a faro bank made early this morning by Charlie Pierson, a well-known sport and three-quarters owner of the Arcade gambling hall, which at the end of about three hours' run reduced him to the condition which often overtakes those who "monkey with the tiger." Pierson walked into his place about two o'clock this morning, and to pass away the time concluded to chance a few dollars on the game. A hundred dollar bill soon vanished. Another disappeared. A third, fourth and fifth were exchanged for "reds" and "blues," which found their way back into the "rack" without netting the player a dollar.

"Out of luck, by heavens!" exclaimed Pierson, as he produced a big, fat pocket book. "Give me $1,000 worth of checks."

A GOOD LOSER.

"Blues" worth $6.25 each were handed over, and as the deal went on scarcely a bet was won by Pierson. His $1000 gone, he was "stuck," as it is put in gamblers' parlance. He must "win out," at any cost, and $2000 in checks were soon piled up before him, but they dwindled away rapidly, the player scarcely picking up a bet. A few deals were made and betting ran high. "Yellows," at $25 a piece, had taken the place of "reds" and "blues."

"I won $9000 on that deal," exclaimed Pierson, at the end of one deal. "I'm still in $6000, but I'll get even next deal."

"Mechanic," on the opposite side of the table, began to shuffle the cards. Pierson's bad luck came back to him with renewed force, and inside of twenty minutes he had lost, altogether, $30,000 in cash. He arose from the table, walked over to the business desk, drew his check for all he had in bank, and began his attack on the tiger again. He lost rapidly, and then put up his interest in the house, receiving therefor checks to the amount of the market value of his interest. They went the way of the rest, and the only thing he had left was a valuable ranch not far from this city.

PLAYING IN DESPERATION.

The true gambling disposition was centered in his partners and they gave Charlie a chance to "win out" by accepting his ranch at good figures. Fortune still frowned upon the unlucky man, and when he arose a few moments afterward from the table he was worse off by $100,000. Many people place his "losings" as $135,000, but doubtless the first mentioned sum is nearer the truth. This is the heaviest playing ever done in this part of the Rocky Mountains.

NINE DOCTORS FAILED.

Three Most Remarkable Cures—How They Were Done by an Advertising Doctor.

A CARD TO THE PUBLIC: I feel that I would not be doing my duty to womankind if I did not let them know how badly afflicted I have been and how and where to be cured. Ten years ago I was taken with painful menstruation, and I have been that way since that time, accompanied with womb trouble in every conceivable way. About three months ago the climax came, and I was prostrated with pain through the heart, chest and lungs, and confined to my bed from excessive hemorrhage or flowing. After nine doctors of different schools of practice gave me up, I applied to Dr. Darrin, and he has cured me so I can walk from my residence to his office. I am overjoyed with the result of the cure.

MRS. E. A. AHLF.

The following tribute to the gift and skill of Drs. Darrin is a remarkable instance of a generous impulse worked out against powerful professional prejudice, and is worthy of record:

CARD TO THE PUBLIC.—I have for the past two years been afflicted with chronic pericarditis, accompanied with great pain around the heart all that time, with excessive circulation, sleepless nights, fear and distress. I was unable to attend to the duties of my profession. I had exhausted my knowledge of medicine, as also that of my colleagues, and found no relief until coming under the electro-magnetic treatment of Drs. Darrin. A little more than a month elapsed since I received this treatment, and I can truthfully say that I am cured. I have none of my former trouble, and wish thus to give my personal experience in the interest of humanity. I have been a practicing physician fourteen years, and am well known in this city and in Marshfield, Oregon. I deem it but justice to the public and to Drs. Darrin to write the above.

DR. STEELE.

TOTAL DEAFNESS CURED SIXTEEN YEARS AGO AND REMAINS PERMANENT TO THIS DAY.

MR. EDITOR:—In 1872 my daughter was taken with the membranous croup and upon her recovery was left totally deaf. I called on two eminent physicians who said they could do nothing for her. As a last resort I took her to Dr. Darrin, who cured her, and she has never been troubled with deafness since. I consider it one of the greatest cures of electro-magnetic treatment on record, and with great satisfaction give this testimonial. I reside in Berkeley, Alameda county, Cala., and will take great pleasure in answering any enquiries concerning this most remarkable cure. Yours respectfully,

WILLIAM S. DIBBLE.

OFFICE HOURS AND PLACE OF BUSINESS.

The Drs. Darrin are located at the International Hotel, Cherry street, Seattle, W.T. Consultation free. They will under no circumstances take a case that they are positive that they cannot cure or benefit. Charges are reasonable and the poor treated free from 9 to 10 a.m., Tuesdays and Saturdays.

Office hours, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; evenings, 7 to 8; Sundays 10 to 12.

They cure permanently all diseases of the genito-urinary organs. loss of desire of sexual power in man or woman, and make a specialty of deafness and catarrh, and also treat successfully all diseases of the nose and throat, eye and ear, etc., as well as all acute and chronic diseases of whatever nature, if curable. No cases taken if not.

Most cases can receive home treatment after a visit to the doctors' office.

Inquiries answered and circulars sent free.

(The Drs. Darrin also have a branch office at 235 Fifth street, Portland, Or., where any in that vicinity can consult them).

HOW MEN DIE.

If we know all the methods of approach adopted by an enemy we are the better enabled to ward off the danger and postpone the moment when surrender becomes inevitable. In many instances the inherent strength of the body suffices to enable it to oppose the tendency toward death. Many however have lost these forces to such an extent that there is little or no help. In other cases a little aid to the weakened Lungs will make all the difference between sudden death and many years of useful life. Upon the first symptoms of a Cough, Cold, or any trouble of the Throat or Lungs, give that old and well-known remedy—Boschee's German Syrup, a careful trial. It will prove what thousands say of it to be, the "benefactor of any home."

STRIPED FLANNELETTES, 28 inches wide, from 12½c. per yard, at the CITY HOUSE. †

PREPARE IN TIME.

A Duty Which Every Man Owes to His Wife and Children.

Death is always a sorrow, but when to that are added complications and annoyances that a little forethought, a little preparation, might have spared those who are battling with bitter grief and loneliness, it is most cruel.

There is many a father of a family who, while doing his utmost for his children while he is in health, and making the best provision he can for them in anticipation of his own death, wholly neglects to put such provision in a tangible shape, where it can be readily understood and manipulated by the mother or other guardian in case of his death coming suddenly. A case recently came to our notice where property of considerable value was so tied up with legal restrictions, owing entirely to lack of a few formalities which could have been attended to in a day's work, that the widow and children were kept for more than a year dependent upon the good will of friends before money could be made available. Death is not ordinarily hastened by making preparations for it, and the subject should not be avoided on account of its unpleasant character. Many a model husband and father, whose business methods are of the most methodical and strictly honorable kind, would find ample occasion to blame himself for neglect if he would consider for a moment in what confusion his family would be placed if this day should prove his last. A good plan is to make, at least once a year, a written statement of all one's affairs at that time, and file it, in an envelope with the wife's name upon it, in a particular place which she and perhaps one other person shall know of, if not in her own custody. Such a memorandum should contain description of life insurance policies or similar documents and state where a will, if any, is to be found; incumbrances of any kind should be noted; unfinished transactions should be briefly described, that their status may be fully understood; and even if there exists no property whatever, a written statement to that effect would relieve doubt and avoid needless inquiry and suspense, in case one's business affairs were of a fluctuating nature which could not always be closely followed by the wife or fully explained to her. In cases of protracted and dangerous sicknes, questions relating to the circums ances of members of a family who may soon be left alone can not be readily asked or answered, and much of distress and dread of the future would be relieved at such a time if the wife could feel that whatever earthly possessions existed were to be immediately available, or at least that a full account of them was at hand under a comparatively recent date, so that she need not bring the subject into the sick room.—*Babyhood.*

ABOUT DYSPEPSIA.

How to Conquer the Great American Foe to Health and Comfort.

Some time ago consumption was called the curse of America. We have made a good fight against it, and statistics show that the large average of deaths from pulmonary disease is filled out by the mortality from that cause among the native-born foreigners, that is, the children of those who emigrated to this country twenty or thirty years ago. Among native Americans of the better classes consumption is steadily on the decrease.

The great American foe to health and comfort now is dyspepsia. Worries of all kinds, domestic and business troubles, irregular hours, dissipation of any kind and fast or over-hearty eating are prominent causes of dyspepsia, and headache, neuralgia, rheumatism, blood difficulties, debility and grave mental troubles are some of the attendant evils that wait upon the malady.

The cure for aggravated forms of the disease has not yet been discovered, and, knowing this, one should begin in time and heed the warning given by the first symptom of indigestion; self-denial in diet is not too high a price to pay for exemption from a life of discomfort. Plain good living, with meals slowly eaten at regular hours, and plenty of open-air exercise should be the rule with those who have a wholesome dread of dyspepsia. Intelligent people are learning that stomach trouble is often begun in infancy and the diet for young children is now wisely ordered in well-regulated nurseries. Cakes, pies, puddings and confectionery are very properly conspicuous by their absence, and, not seeing the pernicious dainties, the children satisfy their healthy young appetites on simple, nutritious fare. Keeping temptation out of their sight is an argument in favor of children eating apart from the family, but it is only in large establishments that this can be done. When at the family table it is hard to refuse to give them the things they see their elders eating, but better suffer the pain of denying them than have them grow up to be victims of dyspepsia.—*Good Cheer.*

—Who would think of calling deaf men by beating a drum? Yet this is exactly what is done in the Institute for the Deaf and Dumb at Flint, Mich. With the drum resting on the floor and beaten in the usual way, everybody in the building is awakened in the morning. It is also used to call the boys from the playgrounds. The teachers state that those who can not hear at all feel the vibrations and answer the summons.

Mothers!

Castoria is recommended by physicians for children teething. It is a purely vegetable preparation, its ingredients are published around each bottle. It is pleasant to the taste and absolutely harmless. It relieves constipation, regulates the bowels, quiets pain, cures diarrhœa and wind colic, allays feverishness, destroys worms, and prevents convulsions, soothes the child and gives it refreshing and natural sleep. Castoria is the children's panacea—the mother's friend. 35 doses, 35 cents. mr22-eod-d&w-3mos

A Cure for Deafness.

There have been many remarkable cures of deafness made by the use of Hagyard's Yellow Oil, the great household remedy for all Pain, Inflammation and Soreness. Yellow Oil cures Rheumatism, Sore Throat and Croup, and is used internally and externally for all pains and injuries.

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Ladies and Gentlemen

The best place to buy Gardening Tools is at Cheapside. POWELL & Co. *

MISCELLANEOUS.

SORE FROM KNEE to ANKLE

Skin entirely gone. Flesh a mass of disease. Leg diminished one-third in size. Condition hopeless. Cured by the Cuticura Remedies.

For three years I was almost crippled with an awful sore leg from my knee down to my ankle; the skin was entirely gone, and the flesh was one mass of disease. Some physicians pronounced it incurable. It had diminished about one-third the size of the other, and I was in a hopeless condition. After trying all kinds of remedies and spending hundreds of dollars, from which I got no relief whatever, I was persuaded to try your CUTICURA REMEDIES, and the result was as follows: After three days I noticed a decided change for the better, and at the end of two months I was completely cured. My flesh was purified and the bone (which had been exposed for over a year) got sound. The flesh began to grow, and to-day, and for nearly two years past, my leg is as well as ever it was, sound in every respect, and not a sign of the disease to be seen.

S. G. AHERN, Dubois, Dodge Co., Ga.

Terrible Suffering from Skin Diseases.

I have been a terrible sufferer for years from diseases of the skin and blood, and have been obliged to shun public places by reason of my disfiguring humors. Have had the best of physicians and spent hundreds of dollars, but got no relief until I used the CUTICURA REMEDIES, which have cured me, and left my skin as clear and my blood as pure as a child's.

IDA MAY BASS, Olive Branch P. O., Miss.

From 145 Pounds to 172 Pounds.

I have taken several bottles of CUTICURA RESOLVENT with all the results I could wish for. About this time last year, when commencing its use I weighed 145 pounds, and to-day I weigh 172 pounds.

GEO. CAMPBELL, Washington, D. C.

NOTE.—The CUTICURA RESOLVENT is beyond all doubt the greatest blood purifier ever compounded.

CUTICURA, the great Skin Cure, and CUTICURA SOAP, an exquisite Skin Beautifier, externally, and CUTICURA RESOLVENT, the new Blood Purifier, internally, are a positive cure for every form of Skin and Blood Disease, from Pimples to Scrofula.

Sold everywhere. Price, CUTICURA, 75c.; SOAP, 35c. RESOLVENT, $1.50. Prepared by the POTTER DRUG AND CHEMICAL CO., Boston, Mass.

☞Send for "How to Cure Skin Diseases," 64 pages, 50 illustrations, and 100 testimonials.

BABY'S Skin and Scalp preserved and beautified by CUTICURA MEDICATED SOAP.

HOW MY BACK ACHES!

Back Ache, Kidney Pains, and Weakness, Soreness, Lameness, Strains and Pain **relieved in one minute** by the **Cuticura Anti-Pain Plaster.** The best and only pain-killing Plaster. 30 cents.

HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS.

Changed Hands!

HALF-WAY HOUSE,

Esquimalt Road, Victoria, B. C.

JOSEPH BAYLEY, late of the Occidental Hotel, returns sincere thanks to his friends and the public and wishes to announce that he has purchased the above property and business from Mr. Bland, and intends to carry on the same as a first-class

Family Pleasure Resort.

The very best of Wines, Liquors and Cigars will be kept in Stock. Lunches and Dinner Parties supplied on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms. my6

RUSS HOUSE,

Johnston Street, near Store.

BERRYMAN & BOSSI, PROPRIETORS.

This new three-story fire proof Brick building, was expressly built for an Hotel, with 50 newly well-furnished rooms, and is one of the best located Houses in the city.

RATE OF CHARGES:

Board per week, $4.50	Board per day, - $1.00
Board & Lodging, 6.00 and upwards, according to room.	Beds, - 25c. and 50c., and upwards, according to room.

Special Rates for Families.

The Best Brands of Wines, Liquors, and Cigars always on hand.

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On American or European Plan.

FIRST-CLASS IN EVERY APPOINTMENT. Centrally located; coaches to and from every steamer; the comfort of guests closely cared for; prices to suit; a fine restaurant in the building.

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HAGYARD'S "YELLOW OIL"

CURES RHEUMATISM.

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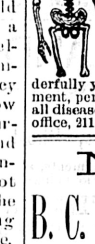
Are pleasant to take. Contain their own Purgative. Is a safe, sure and effectual destroyer of worms in Children or Adults.



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GO AND LEARN HOW TO avoid disease, and how wonderfully you are made. Consultation and treatment, personally or by letter, on weakness and all diseases of men. ☞Send for Book. Private office, 211 Geary street. mh6dwtf

NOTICE.

B. C. Express Company, L'd.

COMMENCING ON MONDAY, 21st MAY, and continuing during the Summer months,

STAGES FOR CARIBOO

WILL LEAVE

Ashcroft on Mondays at 6.30 A. M.

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EUREKA LIVERY AND SALE STABLES,

PANDORA STREET,

Opp. Methodist Church, VICTORIA, B. C.

HAVE FOR HIRE OR SALE SOME OF the best Horses, Carriages and Buggies. Horses suitable for Ladies and Gentlemen, for either Carriage, Buggy or Saddle. All Rigs in first-class order. Also, for sale some new and second-hand Buggies, Phætons, Carriages or Hacks.

Anyone wishing to go into the Livery Business the whole of the stock will be sold on easy terms of payment, and a lease of the Stable given.

Telephone No. 30. my12-6m

NOTICE.

BARQUE "CAMANA,"

CAPT. WM. GORDON, from London.

NEITHER CAPTAIN GORDON NOR THE undersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew.

WELCH, RITHET & CO.,
Consignees.

Victoria, B. C., 22nd May, 1888. my22-5t

KINNEY Bros, New York.

Strictly pure High-class

CIGARETTES!

FULL DRESS, special straight cut.
LATEST ENGLISH, extra fine.
WHITE CAPS, extra mild.
CROSS-COUNTRY, extra mild.

AND THE POPULAR

SWEET CAPORAL, the Standard of the World. These cigarettes are unquestionably the finest in the market, and are to be had from dealers at moderate prices.

American Cigarette Co., MONTREAL.

apr11-3mo-biwkly

NOTICES.

RESERVE—VICTORIA DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given that all the unoccupied Crown land in Victoria District has been reserved from sale or pre-emption until further notice.

F. G. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., April 27th, 1888. my4-1m

RESERVE—RENFREW DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given that the vacant Crown land which is situated within the boundaries of the tract described below has been reserved from sale or pre-emption until further notice, viz:—

Commencing at a point on the shore of the Straits of Juan de Fuca, distant one mile eastward from Point San Juan; thence in a north-easterly direction parallel to the general direction of the coast line of Port San Juan to the side hill of the valley of San Juan River; thence following the side hills of that valley six miles; thence at right angles across the valley to the opposite hill side; thence following the western side of the valley to its junction with the valley of Gordon River; thence following the hillside of that valley six miles; thence crossing the valley of the Gordon River at right angles to the opposite hillside; thence following the western side of the said valley to a point within a mile of the junction of the Gordan and San Juan Rivers; thence south-westerly parallel to the coast line to a point on the shore of the Strait of Juan de Fuca, distant one mile westerly from Owen Point; thence following the coast line to the point of commencement.

F. G. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., April 30th, 1888. my4-1m

NOTICE.

To Carpenters and Builders.

SEALED TENDERS, properly endorsed, will be received by the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, up to noon of Thursday, 7th June, for the construction of a School House at Victoria West.

Plans and Specifications can be seen, and forms for tender obtained, at the office of the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-Gen'l.

Lands and Works Dep't,
Victoria, B. C., 30th May, 1888. my31

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the notice dated the 3rd day of July, 1883, offering a bounty of two dollars and fifty cents ($2.50) per head for every wolf or panther killed in a settled district in this province has been rescinded, and that on and after the date hereof the sum of five dollars ($5.00) will be paid for every wolf or panther killed in a settled district on the certificate of a Justice of the Peace that such animal was killed in a settlement, and that the head was produced to and destroyed by him.

By Command.

JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
2nd May, 1888. my4-1m

TAX NOTICE.

ASSESSED and Provincial Revenue Taxes for the year 1888 are due and payable at my office, Treasury, James Bay.

Real Property Tax, if paid on or before June 30th, ½ of 1 per cent.

Personal Property Tax, if paid on or before June 30th, ⅓ of one per cent.

Income Tax, if paid on or before June 30th, ⅓ of one per cent.

Wild Land Tax, if paid on or before June 30th 7½ cents per acre.

Real Property Tax, if paid on and after July 1st, ⅔ of one per cent.

Personal Property Tax, if paid on and after July 1st, ½ of one per cent.

Income Tax, if paid on and after July 1st, ½ of one per cent.

Wild Land Tax, if paid on and after July 1st. 8½ cents per acre.

Provincial Revenue Tax, in each case, *per capita*, $3.00.

C. BOOTH,
ap8-june30 Assessor and Collector.

NOTICE.

SITTINGS OF THE COUNTY COURT OF Cariboo will be held:—

At Lillooet, on Wednesday, 30th May, 1888.
At Clinton, on Wednesday, 13th June, 1888.
At 150-Mile House, on Thursday, 28th June, 1888.
At Soda Creek, on Saturday, 30th June, 1888.
At Quesnellemouth, on Tuesday, 3rd July, 1888.
At Richfield, on Friday, 6th July, 1888.

By Command.

JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
16th April, 1888. ap20-td

TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, for the Year 1888.

SPRING ASSIZES.

[*On Vancouver Island.*]

Victoria..........Monday ....21st May.
Nanaimo..........Tuesday ....5th June.

[*On Mainland.*]

New Westminster. Wednesday. 2nd May.
Kamloops..........Monday ....4th June.
Clinton..........Monday ....11th June.

FALL ASSIZES.

[*On Mainland.*]

Richfield..........Monday ....10th September.
Clinton..........Wednesday. 26th September.
Kamloops..........Monday ....1st October.
Lytton..........Monday ....8th October.
New Westminster. Wednesday. 14th November.

[*On Vancouver Island.*]

Victoria..........Monday ....26th November.
Nanaimo..........Tuesday ....4th December.

ap27-1mo

NOTICES.

NOTICE.

Tenders for Gaol Supplies.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO the 29th June, 1888, for

SUPPLIES

—FOR—

Victoria Provincial Gaol,

—CONSISTING OF—

Bread, Groceries, Clothing, Coal, Wood and Coke, Meats, Fish and Vegetables,

FROM 1ST JULY, 1888, TO 30TH JUNE, 1889.

Samples of Groceries and Clothing may be seen at Victoria Provincial Gaol, Topaz Avenue.

Tenders to state price of Wood per cord, and Coal per ton of 2,000 lbs.

All Supplies to be delivered at the Provincial Gaol, Topaz Avenue.

Tenders to be addressed to—

H. B. ROYCRAFT,
Sup't Prov. Police.

Victoria, June 3rd, 1888. jun1-td

NOTICE.

BRIDGE CLOSED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Bridge over the Colquitz River, on the cross road between the Burnside Road and Craigflower, has been closed for repairs.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 23rd May, 1888. my24

NOTICE.

To Claimants of Land, in New Westminster District, which was formerly Reserved under the Provisions of the "Sumas Dyking Act, 1878."

NOTICE is hereby given that a Commissioner will visit Chilliwhack about the first week in June for the purpose of holding inquiries and taking evidence in all cases of disputed claims to lands. Persons who are interested are hereby notified to be prepared with their evidence at the time mentioned.

F. G. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 10th May, 1888. my11-3w

High School Entrance Examination.

THE SEMI-ANNUAL EXAMINATION OF applicants for entrance to a High School, will be held in the Central School Building, Victoria, on Thursday, June 7th, commencing at 9 a. m. Candidates must be punctual.

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PETER SUMMERFIELD,
Water Commissioner.

Victoria, B. C.,
25th May, 1888. my26-1w

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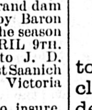

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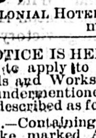

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Lot 1.—Containing 160 acres—Commencing at a stake marked A, on the point known as Double Island Point, Naas River; thence south along the shore line 40 chains to stake B; thence west 40 chains to stake C; thence north 40 chains to stake D; thence east along the shore line 40 chains to initial stake.

Lot 2.—Containing 160 acres—Situated about half a mile above Fort Point, Naas River, commencing at post A, at the south-west corner of Croasdaile's old Saw Mill Station; thence west along the shore line 40 chains to post B; thence north 40 chains to post C; thence east 40 chains to post D; thence south 40 chains to initial post.

Lot 3.—Containing 160 acres—Situated on the south side of Naas River, commencing at a stake about a quarter of a mile above Leading Point; thence east along the shore line 40 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains to initial stake.

R. H. HALL.

Port Simpson, 19th May, 1888. my31-2m

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GOING NORTH. READ DOWN. No. 2 Passenger Daily.	GOING NORTH. READ DOWN. No. 4 Passenger Sat., Sun. and Mon.	STATIONS.	GOING SOUTH. READ UP. No. 1 Passenger Daily.	GOING SOUTH. READ UP. No. 3 Passenger Sat., Sun. and Mon.
De 8.20 A.M	De 3.32 P.M	VICTORIA	Ar 1.04 P.M	Ar 7.00
8.24	3.36	RUSSELL'S, Vic. W	1.00	6.56
8.34	3.46	ESQUIMALT	12.50	6.46
9.01	4.11	GOLDSTREAM	12.23 P.M	6.21
9.56	5.06	SHAWNIGAN L'E	11.28	5.26
10.08	5.16	COBBLE HILL	11.16	5.16
10.25	5.31	McPHERSON'S	10.59	5.01
10.37	5.41	KOKSILAH	10.47	4.51
10.42	5.46	DUNCAN'S	10.42	4.46
10.52	5.56	SOMENOS	10.32	4.36
11.18	6.18	CHEMAINUS	10.06	4.14
Ar12.20 P.M / De12.29	7.16	NANAIMO	De 9.04 / Ar 8.55	3.16
Ar12.44	Ar 7.31	WELLINGTON	De 8.40 A.M	De 3.01 P.M

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Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Company

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Notice to Claimants under the "Act Relating to the Island Railway, the Graving Dock and Railway Lands of the Province":

The Company is now prepared to issue Conveyances of Title to all claimants entitled to the same under the provisions of the above Act, and who have fulfilled the Requirements of the British Columbia "Land Act, 1884."

R. DUNSMUIR,
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JOHN TRUTCH,
Land Commissioner.

Victoria, B.C., July 25th, 1887.
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Time Table No. 9, Takes Effect Nov'r 1st, 1887

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FOR PLUMPER PASS,
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March 17th. jy25

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Str. Olympian, Port Townsend.
Str. Pioneer, Port Townsend.

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LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

Mail Contract.

Mr. C. J. King has been awarded the contract for carrying the mails between this city and Esquimalt.

The Menzies Case.

The police committee will hold an investigation, to-morrow, into the charges preferred against Menzies.

Suter vs. Robson.

In the interpleader suit of Suter *vs.* Robson, the Divisional court granted an order *nisi* returnable on Monday next.

Victoria District Election.

Mr. Ira Wilson announces himself as an "independent" candidate for the representation of Victoria District in the Local House.

Serious Injury.

Mr. McPhadden, the well-known contractor, fell from a building yesterday and in falling his arm-pit struck a sharp piece of wood, inflicting a dangerous wound. Dr. Hanington was called in and last evening the patient was resting easily.

Nanaimo Assizes.

The Nanaimo spring assizes will open on Tuesday morning, Hon. Mr. Justice Crease presiding. Deputy Attorney-General Irving will conduct the cases for the crown and Mr. S. P. Mills will appear for the defence in the case of Quamlet and Macamoose, charged with murder.

James Bay v. High School.

The game between the above clubs at Beacon Hill yesterday, resulted in the defeat of the high school by a large majority. The High School eleven in two innings made 61. The James Bay eleven scored 66 with two "men" out and nine wickets to spare.

Police Court.

John Diceon, on remand, charged with being drunk, was fined $5 and costs, and Johnny, an Indian, on the same charge, was ordered to pay $5 or go to gaol for one week.

A woman, charged with being of unsound mind, was remanded for medical examination.

Inland Revenue Collections.

Following are the Inland revenue collections for the month ending 31st May:

License	$ 25 00
Tobacco	1,365 80
Cigars	990 00
Spirits	3,941 06
Malt	1,474 52
Total	$7,796 38

Painful Accident.

An accident befel David Phillips yesterday in the moulding department of the Albion Iron Works, which will lay him up for some time. It appears the young man, who has always been considered an adept workman, was pouring molten iron into a mould, when some of it fell on his foot, inflicting such a painful wound that he had to be carried to his father's house, Kane street, where at last accounts he was resting easily.

Hospital Sunday.

Mr. W. Chudley, secretary of the Jubilee hospital committee, has addressed a circular to the various city clergymen, requesting that Sunday, the 17th June, be set apart as "Hospital Sunday," and that a special collection be taken up on that day in aid of the hospital funds. The system is one which is followed in other cities, and last year the Victoria churches collected a considerable amount for the hospital. The clergymen have not as yet replied, but there is little doubt that the suggestion of the committee will be favorably considered.

Great Social Event.

Jeffreys Lewis will make her appearance at The Victoria next Friday and Saturday evenings after an absence of nearly three years. She will be supported by her excellent company in the following *repertoire*: Friday—Her own creation "Geraldine Calthrope" in Belasco's great emotional play "La Belle Russe." Saturday—Her latest success, "Clothilde," Saturday matinee—"Lady Isabelle" and "Madame Vine," in "East Lynne." Her representation of the above characters has placed Miss Lewis in the front ranks of emotional actresses and crowded houses will no doubt greet her.

Blue Ribbon Club.

Last night the club held their usual meeting at Temperance hall, Pandora street. The meeting opened with singing "Rescue the Perishing," and followed with prayer by President Gray; hymn, "Ring the Bells of Heaven." The chairman, Mr. S. Gray, then addressed the meeting. Instrumental duet, Miss Stafford and Prof. Sharpe; address, Mr. R. Roper; song, "The Bridge," Miss Dobbs, *encored*; trio by Misses Munsie, *encored*; trio, Mrs. Wright, Miss Dobbs and Prof. Sharpe; duet, "In Happy Moments," by Profs. Agius and Sharpe. The singing of "God Save the Queen" brought the meeting to a close.

The Base Ball Match.

An interesting game of base ball was played between the James Bay nine and the Amities at Beacon Hill. Duck and Wootton made a home run each. Partridge made a three-bagger. Deasy played an excellent game, in which he made a double play, also catching three sky balls, assisted by Widdowson on third base. Naylor played excellent on first base. Capt. Gouge played in his usual style and deserves great credit for the manner in which he has got his players along. Jackson pitched well, and was ably seconded behind the bat by A. Williams. The latter met with an accident during the game and had to retire for two innings. Baker and Gowan also played a good game. Following is the score:

JAMES BAY'S.		AMITIES.	
Deasy	2	G. Gowen	2
Widdowson	0	Wootton	2
Jackson	3	Duck	1
Franklin	2	Askens	0
Gouge	3	Baker	1
Mallandaine	2	Wrigglesworth	1
Williams	1	Clyde	1
Naylor	0	Partridge	2
Sullivan	0	Baker	1
Total	13	Total	11

The Matinee Entertainment.

The matinee held at St. John's school room yesterday afternoon was very successful and comprised an attractive programme. The audience was not as large as was to be expected in view of the object of the entertainment—to augment the fund for the new vestry—in consequence of the short notice that was given. Those present enjoyed the performance thoroughly judging from the applause, which was constant and hearty. The programme included a quaint and laughable duet by a Quaker and Quakeress, in appropriate costume, sustained by Miss Lily Renwick and Master Berkeley. The song in motion was given by little girls of St. John's school, followed by a recitation (*encored*), by the clever little dot, Miss Lila Kettle. "Bombastes Furioso" concluded the performance, with a slight change in the cast from the previous representations at the Cathedral school, Master Cecil Berkeley, a sweet looking child of six years of age, taking the part of "Fusbos," the prime minister, with such winning grace and infantile pomp and dignity, that he fairly brought down the house with laughter and applause. "Distaflina" excelled her usual grace and self-possession, and the other characters were as excellently rendered as before. Great credit is due to Mrs. Berkeley, who has so kindly labored to bring the juvenile actors to such perfection for the benefit of our churches.

The Columbian.

The Kennedy Bros. have formally assumed control of the *Columbian*, and promise to enlarge both their daily and weekly issues in a short time. They have the best wishes of the craft generally for a successful journalistic career.

A Bright Blaze.

An alarm was sounded at one o'clock this morning from the corner of Fort and Blanchard streets, the wooden buildings in rear of R. Medana's paint shop being on fire. The firemen responded promptly, but it was fully fifteen minutes from the first alarm before a stream from a hydrant on Blanchard street was thrown on the fire. Another was soon after laid from the corner of Quadra street. In about twenty minutes' time Deluge engine started and another stream was thrown. There was no wind and the fire was soon under control and subdued. The sheds were entirely consumed and the rear of the paint-shop badly damaged. The house next door was occupied by Mr. Jackson, hack-driver, and from this all furniture was removed. The roof caught fire, but was extinguished and little damage done. A number of "C" Battery men gave valuable assistance in removing goods, they being at the fire at its first stage. The loss will not foot up to more than several hundred dollars. Had a wind been blowing it might have proved more disastrous.

THE STEAMSHIP SUBSIDY.

Mr. E. C. Baker, M. P., States that it will be Maintained—Letter from the Postmaster-General on the Subject.

Mr. E. Crow Baker, M.P., who arrived home on Friday night, was interviewed yesterday by a representative of THE COLONIST, particularly in regard to the steamship service between Victoria and San Francisco.

Rep.—What position is the subsidy for the Victoria-San Francisco steamship service in?

Mr. Baker—Immediately on arriving at Ottawa I took up the matter of the steamship subsidy and was always ably seconded by my colleague, Mr. Prior, who at once became very popular socially and politically in Ottawa. We were informed by Sir John and the Postmaster-General that the terms of union would be strictly and faithfully adhered to, but they could not see the advisability or necessity of paying money for a service especially to a foreign company) who, from their expressions in writing, were perfectly satisfied that such a subsidy to them should be discontinued. The government therefore saw no necessity for making a provision in the estimates for the maintenance of a service which, as far as they could see, could and would be performed without the payment of such a subsidy. Due notice was given to the company of the intention of the government to discontinue the subsidy at the end of 1887, and to which no demur was made, but on the contrary a most felicitous letter was received expressive of their appreciation of the satisfactory relations in the past, and drawing an invidious distinction between the treatment received from the Canadian government and that of the United States. The Pacific Coast Steamship company did not intimate that the service would be altered from that already existing.

Rep.—Did you secure any definite or written statement from the government concerning the matter?

Mr. Baker—Yes; I waited upon the postmaster-general for a final interview at his private residence on the same evening I left Ottawa—Saturday last. From him I received the following letter:

OTTAWA, May 26, 1888.

MY DEAR BAKER,—I have to-day had an order-in-council passed, the purport of which is an assurance that the government, recognising the obligations of the terms of union with British Columbia, and will take care that the terms are fully maintained. A copy of the order-in-council will be forwarded to you as soon as the signature of the Governor-General is affixed.

I am, dear sir,
Yours very truly,
A. W. MCLELAN,
Postmaster General.

To E. C. BAKER, ESQ., M. P.,
Ottawa.

He gave besides his personal assurance that the necessary steps would be taken to call for tenders for the conveyance of mails between Victoria and San Francisco in keeping with clause 4 of the terms of union and reiterated the guarantee of the government embodied in the order-in-council in the above letter referred to, and which will shortly appear. He also gave the assurance that the post office inspector would be forthwith instructed to make the best temporary arrangement possible for the carrying of mail bags between Victoria and San Francisco by steamship. I have every confidence that the expressions conveyed to me by the postmaster-general on behalf of his government are in all respects honest and sincere.

CRICKET.

The first match of the season between the V. C. C. and H. M. ships on the station—the "Caroline and "Wild Swan"—was played yesterday at Beacon Hill, and resulted in a single innings victory for the V.C.C. The first innings of the navy produced only 41 runs and was particularly noticeable for the fine bowling of Mr. Pooley, who took 6 wickets at a cost of 10 runs only.

For Victoria Mr. H. F. Clinton went to the wickets first and carried his bat throughout the innings for a carefully played score of 57. The innings produced 168 runs, the first wicket falling with the score at 80. We are unable to give the analysis of the bowling. The second innings of the navy closed when 73 runs had been compiled, of which Mr. Hutcheson scored 27 by free batting and Dr. Fitzgerald added 16. Appended is the full score:

H. M. SHIPS.

1st Innings.		*2nd Innings.*	
Lt. Hutcheson, b Pooley	4	b Pooley	27
H. Richards, b Sinclair	8	b Pooley	10
C. B. Robinson, b Pooley	0	c Pooley b Drake	4
Dr. Brown, b Sinclair	0	b Sinclair	0
Lt. Sutton, b Pooley	7	b Pooley	0
Dr. Fitzgerald, b Sinclair	3	b Sinclair	16
Lt. LeMarchant, b Pooley	2	b Sinclair	1
Lt. Stokes, b Pooley	1	not out	4
Ruff, c Walker b Pooley	0	b Pooley	0
Thorogood, b Sinclair	2	b Sinclair	0
Robinson, not out	4	b Pooley	5
Extras	10	Extras	6
Total	41	Total	73

VICTORIA CRICKET CLUB.

Sinclair, J. W., b Hutchison	48
Clinton, H. F., not out	57
Topham, E. H., b Ruff	9
Snowden, N. P., c Robinson, b Sutton	16
Pooley, C. E., c Thorogood, b Hutchison	0
Walker, F. G., b Ruff	7
Irving, P. Æ., b Ruff	3
Ward, W. A., c Robinson, b Ruff	0
Drake, H. B. T., b LeMarchant	0
Grant, W., b LeMarchant	0
Worsfold, J. K., b LeMarchant	10
Extras	18
Total	168

THE LYTTON AGENT.

TO THE EDITOR:—It is understood that the government contemplate transferring Mr. Dodd, their agent, from here to Yale, and the inhabitants of Lytton have sent forward a petition against the removal, in the belief that the provincial secretary will, on proper representation of their case, do every justice in the matter. Mr. Dodd is very popular throughout this district, and his removal from here would cause much regret. J. R. S.

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ARTESIAN WELLS.

The Certainty of Water for Irrigation Being Secured by Boring.

Mr. E. B. McKay, C. E., Reports on the Matter—Summary of the Findings of His Surveys in the Dry Country of the Interior.

Mr. E. B. McKay, C. E., who was employed by the provincial government for the purpose of exploring the dry country of the interior with a view to determining the probability of water being secured for irrigation purposes by means of artesian wells, has presented his report to the government. During the course of his surveys, Mr. McKay visited the valleys of the Thompson and North and South Thompson rivers, Grand Prairie, Spallumcheen and Mission Valleys, Okanagan and the country between Vernon and Round Prairies, Cache Creek and Nicola Valleys.

The first place visited was Tranquille, at the upper end of Kamloops lake. He travelled along the base of the ridge of rocky hills which bound the extensive flat of land lying on the north bank of the river. This flat has only Tranquille Creek at the extreme westerly end of the valley, and this creek only supplies water sufficient to irrigate two farms and drive Fortune's saw and grist mills. Behind this first range of hills is an extensive plateau of undulating land, composed of drift deposit, lying in an exceedingly irregular rocky bed. The whole plateau is studded with lakes from a few hundred feet to one or two miles long. Most of these lakes have no outlet (on the surface) except what is due to soakage, and yet their levels vary sometimes as much as fifty feet, when the lakes are not more than a few hundred feet apart. Mr. McKay is of opinion that there exists some underground channel which carries the water to the lower levels of the valley. As there exists in the latter a thick strata of clay the water does not rise to the surface, but is kept down by the overlying strata of clay. He considers that this water-bearing strata can be struck by boring in the valley, and that the depth will not exceed more than 300 or 400 feet.

On the north and south banks of the South Thompson Rivers, the watershed is great, out of all proportion to the water in the creeks, and it is thought that boring on the lower benches would strike the water strata, on the south side at a depth of 300 feet. In some cases small springs occur in a bank of quicksand, and continue to run when there is no water on the surface, showing that they are supplied from a great depth.

Grand Prairie is said to be either the filled up or drained bed of a lake, and has an elevation of 2,000 feet. The Salmon River, which has its rise in Salmon Lake, to the southwest of the valley, runs through the prairie and is extensively used for irrigation during high water. During winter months the river bed is dry, and the first water used for irrigation is so cold as to seriously retard the growth of cereals, and when water is wanted for roots the river is dry. Water for domestic purposes is found in the gravel at a depth of forty feet. The subsoil of the valley is gravel, and the water draining through this causes the lowness of water in the river. Summit Lake, which is used for irrigation, could be made to furnish sufficient water for the whole valley by a proper system of fluming or storage. Mr. McKay could not recommend boring to reach any water bearing strata, which might be struck at a great depth.

In Okanagon Mission Valley considerable quantities of land could be brought under cultivation by irrigation and it is more than likely that water could be secured by boring.

Short-cut valley, opening out of Mission valley, does not offer any great extent of land for irrigation, though water could be secured at the north end at a depth of 200 feet.

Mission Flat is well supplied with water from Mission Creek, which stream is rapidly changing its course, owing to the branch which passes to the south of the Roman Catholic mission being blocked by fallen and float timber, thus forcing the water into the northwest branch. Considerable quantities of land could be brought under cultivation at a slight expenditure for irrigation.

The whole of Mission Valley and branching valleys have surrounding features which point to the fact that an abundant underground supply of water can be secured by boring.

An examination was made of the country surrounding Vernon, as far as Pleasant Valley, and the valley of the Coldstream, as far as the Nelson ranch. On the high plateau above the town to the east water is much needed and sufficient could be secured by boring to command a large area. To the south-east of the town there is an extensive plateau of good land, but too high to be benefited by boring. In the valley of Swan lake are numerous fine farms where water is much needed. The valley to the east is backed up by an extensive watershed, and water could be obtained at a depth of from 150 to 300 feet. Turning to the west, there is a fine plateau of land lying between the road to Salmon river and that to Lansdowne. Although extensively improved the land is of little value without water, which there is no doubt could be secured by boring.

Water is much needed at Round Prairie. Mr. Schubert sunk a well 125 feet and bored 40 feet further without securing water. The well was then abandoned. Another well was then started near the road from Salmon river to a depth of 120 feet, but no water struck. Mr. McKay considers this a good site for a bore, and the present well could be utilized for the purpose.

Spallumcheen valley, including that part from Lansdowne to Enderby, was examined. Water could be reached at Lansdowne at a depth from 200 to 350 feet. Spallumcheen valley proper is bounded on the east by a high range of mountains running north. At their foot a wooded undulating bench falls gradually to a slough-like stream called Bennett Creek. Rising from this creek is a flat bench from one quarter to one mile in width. All the land on this bench is under cultivation, though there is no water for domestic or irrigation purposes. Wells have been sunk but no water reached. On the Bennett & Lumby farm at the depth of 65 feet the soil was found to be the same as that a few feet from the surface. To the west of this bench are undulating ridges with some good lands in their hollows. It is extremely unlikely that water could be found here by boring. The drainage of this upland is partly into Deep Creek and partly into Bennett Creek, so that boring on the bench above the latter, water might be met with almost the entire length of the valley at a depth of 250 feet. Near the ranches of Fortune and Campbell it would only be reached at a depth of 500 or 600 feet.

Nicola Valley, lying to the west and on the north bank of Nicola river, contains some 1,400 acres of good land, but entirely without water. It was proposed to flume water from Mill Creek, a distance of four or five miles. Mr. McKay considered in the face of the many drawbacks to this scheme that a ditch, carrying 300 inches of the water, would be more costly than a test boring, which would, on the easterly line of Corbett's rancho, be quite likely to strike water at a depth of less than 300 feet. Further to the west there is an extensive flat of good land, where water could be obtained at a depth of 100 feet.

Cache Creek was next examined. It is Mr. McKay's opinion that water could be secured to "Boston's Farm" from the eastern end of the valley. It was to this that the eight-mile ditch was constructed, costing about $10,000, and when finished, owing to some fault in the leveling, it did not carry the water. The valley of Cache Creek, in which the Semlin and Harper ranches are situated. The latter is at the easterly end and a bore on the north-easterly foot-hill beyond this ranch would be certain to yield an abundant supply of water.

In closing the report Mr. McKay expresses his thanks to the farmers and others in the upper country for the many acts of kindness received from them. Offers of assistance have been numerous, and should the boring prove successful, the parties benefited have in every case offered to defray the entire cost of the work, providing useful quantities of water were secured.

Included with the report is a summary of the various districts visited. Boring in the average strata noted would not cost more than $2, or $2.50 at the most, per foot, and in places this would be reduced. Mr. McKay mentions the fact that in Victoria is a good set of boring rods and all material for sinking wells of the description required, with the tubing and lining for the same. With a small outlay for repairs and the purchase of a few augurs the outfit would be complete.

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28th May, 1888. my29

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NOTICE.

BY REQUEST, WM. LENNOX, PRACTICAL CHIMNEY SWEEP, of Victoria, will visit Nanaimo on June 4th, and will thank the public for any orders in the above line. Orders can be left on or before the above date at the NANAIMO HOTEL, Nanaimo. my22-14t